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SUBJECT: STAFFDEL MEGIS

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FOLLOWING MESSAGE SENT PARIS STATE 103881 DTD 30 MAY 73  
REPEATED FRANKFURT PER REFTEL:

QUOTE

1. BY LETTER DATED MAY 21, 1973, CHAIRMAN HENRY M. JACKSON, SENATE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS, SENATE PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEE ON INVESTIGATIONS, ADVISES THAT MR. JAMES D. MEGIS HAS BEEN OFFICIALLY PLACED ON THE PAYROLL OF THE SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE. MR. MEGIS IS WORKING IN EUROPE AS STAFF INVESTIGATOR IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE SUBCOMMITTEE'S CONTINUING EXAMINATION OF THE US MILITARY SUPPLY SYSTEMS AND OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRAFFIC IN SURPLUS WAR MATERIAL. THE CHAIRMAN REQUESTS THE DEPARTMENT TO PROVIDE MR. MEGIS WITH NORMAL ADMINISTRATIVE, LOGISTICAL AND OPERATIONAL ASSISTANCE. THE LETTER FURTHER STATES QUOTE HOWEVER, BECAUSE MR. MEGIS IS DOMICILED IN EUROPE, HIS RATE OF RE-IMBURSEMENT FOR OFFICIAL BUSINESS CONTACTS OUTSIDE OF THE METROPOLITAN PARIS, FRANCE AREA SHOULD BE LIMITED TO THE NORMAL PER DIEM RATE PAID AT THE LOCATION WHERE IT MIGHT BE

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NECESSARY FOR MR. MEGIS TO REPRESENT THE SUBCOMMITTEE IN AN OFFICIAL CAPACITY. MR. MEGIS' EFFORTS ON BEHALF OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE WILL ENTAIL OFFICIAL INVESTIGATIVE CONTACTS IN FRANCE, BELGIUM, HOLLAND, GREAT BRITAIN, SPAIN, GREECE, WEST GERMANY, AND SWITZERLAND UNQUOTE.

2. SINCE MR. MEGIS WILL BE WORKING OUT OF PARIS (BUT NOT ENTITLED TO COMPENSATION WHILE IN PARIS) DEPARTMENT PRESUMES PARIS WILL ADVISE OTHER POSTS WHEN POSSIBLE OF MR. MEGIS' ITINERARY.

3. PER DIEM WILL BE PAID AT THE RATE PRESCRIBED IN THE STANDARD TRAVEL REGULATIONS.

4. PROVISIONS CA-10315 DATED OCTOBER 16, 1972, APPLY. USE OF LOCAL CURRENCIES 19FT510 FUNDS AS INDICATED ABOVE PLUS ACTUAL TRANSPORTATION COSTS AUTHORIZED. APPOINT CONTROL OFFICER, ASSIST, PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION. COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS.

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